

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend the title in the specification to read: "METHODS OF TREATING AUTOIMMUNE DISEASE VIA CTLA-4Ig".

Please replace the paragraph entitled **RELATED APPLICATIONS** with the following new paragraph:

This application is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/385,194, filed on February 7, 1995, which is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/076,071, filed on June 10, 1993, and a continuation-in-part of International Application Serial No. PCT/US93/03155, filed on April 6, 1993, which is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial Nos. 07/864,805, 07/864,807, and 07/864,866, all filed on April 7, 1992, which are continuations-in-part of U.S. Application Serial No. 07/275,433, filed on November 23, 1988.